

104TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 321

Directing that the Committee on Rules report a resolution providing for the consideration of H.R. 2530 (a bill to provide for deficit reduction and achieve a balanced budget by fiscal year 2002).

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 21, 1995

Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

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# RESOLUTION

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Whereas clause 1 of rule IX of the Rules of the House of Representatives states that “Questions of privilege shall be, first, those affecting the rights of the House collectively”;

Whereas article 1, section 9, clause 7 of the Constitution states that: “No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by law;

Whereas today, December 21, 1995, marks the 81st day that this Congress has been delinquent in fulfilling its statutory responsibility of enacting a budget into law; and

Whereas by failing to enact a budget into law this body has failed to fulfill one of its most basic constitutionally mandated duties, that of appropriating the necessary funds to allow the Government to operate: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the Committee on Rules is authorized  
2 and directed to forthwith report a resolution providing for  
3 the consideration of H.R. 2530 (a bill to provide for deficit  
4 reduction and achieve a balanced budget by fiscal year  
5 2002).

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